

NIH Electronic Receipt Program Service Provider Questionnaire

Company ERA Software Systems Inc.
Product GAMS

1. Briefly describe your product/service.

Our grant application and management system (GAMS) is available as an enterprise-wide site license or as a hosted service via the web. The hosted version of our software requires a monthly software rental agreement.

2. Do you plan to offer your product/service as a standalone application, a comprehensive grants management system, or both for:

- *the December 1, 2005 receipt date*
- *future submissions*

For the December 1 submission deadline, ERA Software Systems, Inc. will provide companies with access to our GAMS application via the web for a nominal fee.

3. Concisely list specific benefits of your product or service.

GAMS is a web-based application accessible using most browsers on either Macs or PCs. All XML schema validate with Grants.Gov and eCGAP, users can "test" validate their proposals any number of times before actual submission. All federal agencies using the 424 R&R forms are supported. Users can "view" and print the form sets before and after submission. Data may be downloaded in an XML stream to local servers for data warehousing. NIH proposals preparers can "link" to the NIH eRA Commons to update institutional and/or personal profiles.

4. Please indicate if and when you will be ready to support the SF424 R&R for submitting the following types of grant applications to NIH through Grants.gov:

- *SBIR/STTR -- R41, R42, R43, R44*
- *Support for Conferences and Scientific Meetings -- R13, U13*
- *Academic Research Enhancement Awards (AREA) -- R15*
- *Small Grant Programs -- R03*
- *Exploratory/Development Research Grant Awards -- R21*

- *Research Project Grant Program -- R01*

- **SBIR/STTR – R41, R42, R43, R44 – Nov. 21, 2005**
- **Support for Conferences and Scientific Meetings – R13,U13 – Dec. 1, 2005**
- **Academic Research Enhancement Awards (AREA) – R15 – Feb. 1, 2006**
- **Small Grant Programs – R03 – May 1, 2006**
- **Exploratory/Development Research Grant Awards – R21 – May 1, 2006**
- **Research Project Grant Program – R01 – Aug. 15, 2006**